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Current Event Worksheet: Through the Eyes of a Journalist

DIRECTIONS:

Read the assigned current event article and complete the following activities.

When a journalist begins to research a story they often start with questions they have about the topic. While reading the article think of **3** questions the writer probably asked to guide his/her research on the topic. **Write those questions in the rows to the right.**

After identifying questions that possibly shaped the writer's research/interview, answer each question using information provided in the article.

Question the journalist/author asked:

Answer provided in the article:

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Imagine you are the author of this article. If you could interview people directly involved in the topic what additional questions would you ask? *These questions must be different from the ones listed above!* **Identify a minimum of 3 questions you would ask.**

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Aligned to the following standards:
CCSS.RI.9-10.2; CCSS.RI.9-10.4; CCSS.RI.9-10.8